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SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

In accordance with their duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56, applicants direct the Examiner's attention to the following reference attached hereto as **Exhibits 1 & 2** and listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 attached hereto as **Exhibit A**:

1. U.S. Serial No. 09/907,035, filed July 17, 2001 and published as U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2002/0094528 on July 18, 2002; (**Exhibit 1**) and
2. U.S. Serial No. 09/907,038, filed July 17, 2001 and published as U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2002/0127563 on September 12, 2002 (**Exhibit 2**).

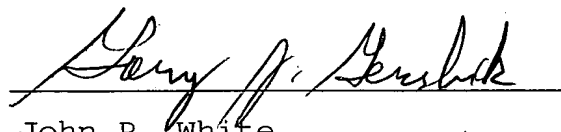
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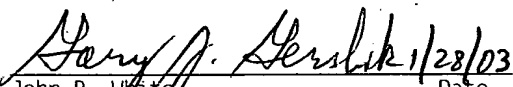
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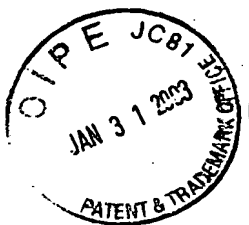
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REQUEST FOR CONSIDERATION OF AUGUST 6, 2002  
SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Applicants hereby request that the Examiner consider the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement included with the Amendment filed August 6, 2002. A copy of the form PTO-1449 filed on August 6, 2002 is attached as **Exhibit A** for the Examiner's convenience. The references listed on the attached form PTO-1449 were provided with the August 6, 2002 Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement.

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